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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 **Claim 3** (previously amended) An apparatus comprising:
2 a vibration motor having:
3 a base having a front surface;
4 a rotary member provided on the front surface of the
5 base; and
6 a cover having an electromagnetically shielding
7 property and covering the rotary member;
8 a board on which the vibration motor is mounted; and
9 a shield member covering at least a part of the board,
10 wherein the vibration motor is disposed inside the shield member.

1 **Claim 5** (previously amended) An apparatus according
2 to claim 3, wherein the cover has a hole for connecting spaces
3 of inside and outside of the cover to each other.

1 **Claim 6** (previously amended) An apparatus according
2 to claim 3, wherein the cover perfectly contacts to the front
3 surface of the base to perform positioning of the cover in a
4 height direction.

1 **Claim 7** (previously amended) An apparatus according
2 to claim 3, further comprising a fillet formed on an outside of

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3 the base and used for positioning the vibration motor.

1 **Claim 8** (previously amended) An apparatus according to
2 claim 3, wherein the cover is electrically connected to the
3 board.

1 **Claim 10** (previously amended) Portable electronic
2 equipment comprising an apparatus according to claim 3.

1 **Claim 11** (previously amended) An apparatus according
2 to claim 3, wherein the cover has a flat surface for an air-
3 sucking.

1 **Claim 13** (previously amended) An apparatus according
2 to claim 3, wherein the cover is made of resin;
3 the cover is coated with non-electrolytic copper; and
4 the cover coated with non-electrolytic copper is coated
5 with non-electrolytic nickel.

1 **Claim 14** (previously amended) An apparatus according
2 to claim 13, wherein the resin is selected from the group
3 consisting of acrylonitrile, butadiene and styrene.

1 **Claim 15** (new) An apparatus comprising:
2 a vibration motor having:
3 a base having a front surface;

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4 a rotary member provided on the front surface on
5 the base;
6 an eccentric member provided on the rotary
7 member;
8 a cover having an electromagnetically shielding
9 property and covering the rotary member and the eccentric member;
10 a board on which the vibration motor is mounted, and
11 a shield member covering at least a part of the board,
12 wherein the vibration motor is disposed inside the shield member.

1 **Claim 16 (new)** An apparatus comprising:
2 a vibration motor having:
3 a base having a front surface;
4 a rotary member provided on the front surface of
5 the base; and
6 a cover having an electromagnetically shielding
7 property and covering the rotary member;
8 a board on which the vibration motor is mounted;
9 a shield member covering at least a part of the board,
10 wherein the vibration motor is disposed inside the shield
11 member; and
12 a housing enclosing the board and shield member.